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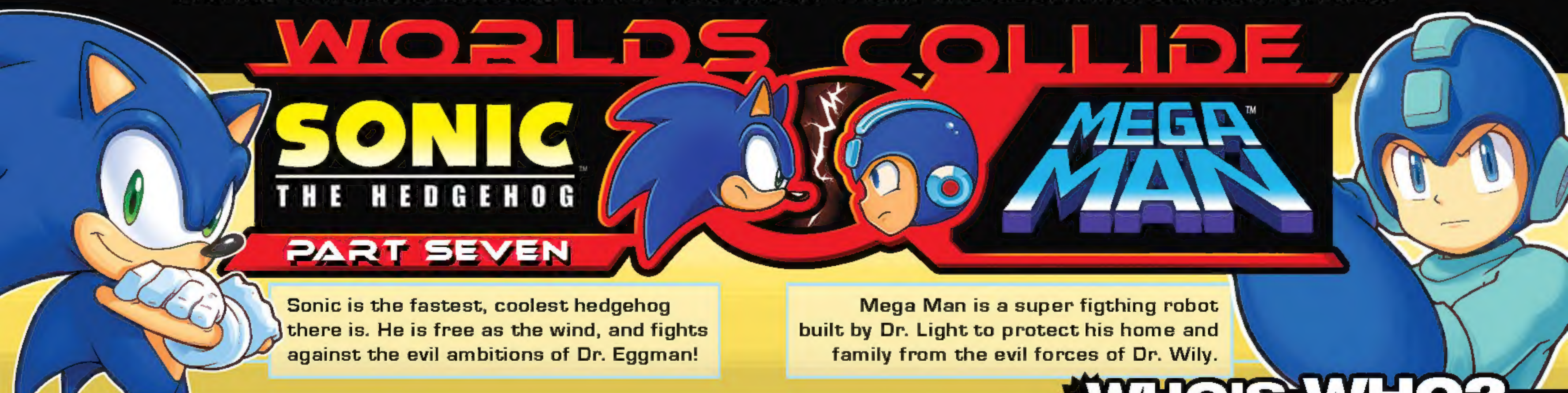
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SHOWDOWN--



--IN THE
SKULL EGG
ZONE!

WELCOME TO THE COMIC BOOK ADVENTURES OF SONIC THE HEDGEHOG AND MEGA MAN -- A WORLD UNIQUE & BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA AND CAPCOM GAMES!



Sonic is the fastest, coolest hedgehog there is. He is free as the wind, and fights against the evil ambitions of Dr. Eggman!

Mega Man is a super fighting robot built by Dr. Light to protect his home and family from the evil forces of Dr. Wily.

WHO'S WHO?

PREVIOUSLY...

THE RACE IS ON FOR THE FATE OF TWO WORLDS!

Through the evil schemes of Dr. Eggman and Dr. Wily, both Sonic the Hedgehog's world and Mega Man's world have been rewritten with the Genesis Wave! After a heated battle, the blue blur and the blue bomber joined forces to invade the mad doctors' "Skull Egg Zone", restore both universes, and rescue the kidnapped creator of Mega Man, Dr. Light!



This pocket dimension is full of deadly traps for our true blue heroes, but none so devious as the **ROBOTICIZED MASTERS** – friends of Sonic's who have been kidnapped and transformed into robotic killing machines!



But hope is not lost! Sonic's good buddy Tails has modified Mega Man's Mega Buster with the unique energy

signature of Sonic's spin dash attack, allowing Mega Man to transform Sonic's friends back to normal (and absorb new powers from them to boot)!



With a new ace up their sleeve, our heroes were able to save Team Chaotix and press onward with a new sense of hope! As for the Chaotix, the detectives journey onward to find Mega Man's brother, Proto Man, in his search to infiltrate the Wily Egg and put an end to this evil scheme once and for all.

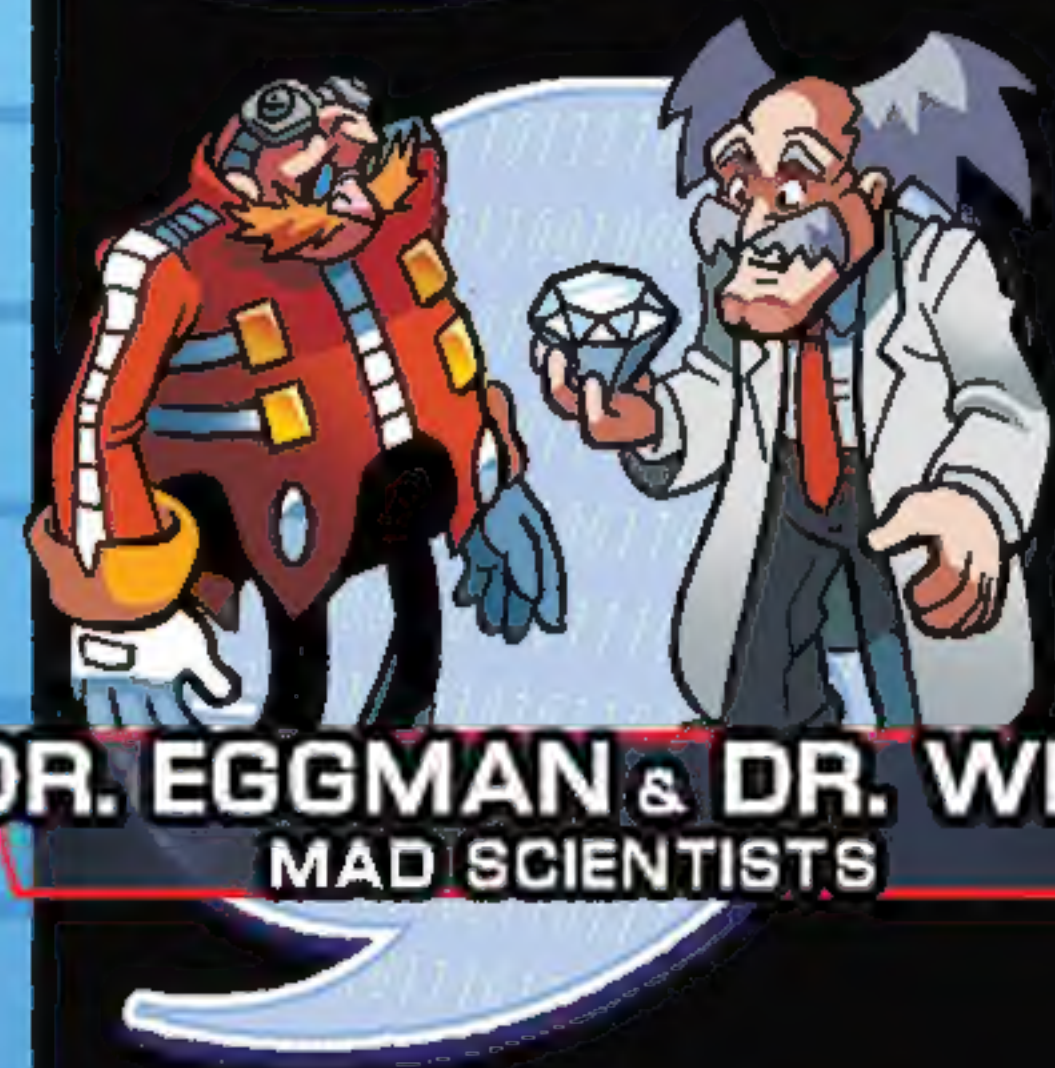
But don't count Eggman and Wily out just yet! There are still many powerful **Roboticized Masters** left to confront our heroes, and the mad scientists have saved the **worst for last...**



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
THE BLUE BLUR



MEGA MAN
THE BLUE BOMBER



DR. EGGMAN & DR. WILY
MAD SCIENTISTS



MILES "TAILS" PROWER
SONIC'S BEST FRIEND



PROTO MAN
MEGA MAN'S ESTRANGED BROTHER

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THE SKULL
EGG ZONE...

(...ESSENTIALLY A GIANT
DEATH TRAP FOR
BLUE HEROES)

JUMP, MEGA MAN,
JUMP! OR ARE
THOSE BIG OL'
BOOTS TRIPPING
YOU?

THEY'RE
DESIGNED FOR
STABILITY. WOULD
YOU EXPECT ME TO
JUMP AND SHOOT
WITH NOODLE-
LIMBS LIKE
YOURS?

SONIC AND TAILS--
SUPER SPEEDY HEROES

RUSH--SUPER
ROBOT DOG

MEGA MAN-- SUPER
FIGHTING ROBOT

"NOODLE-LIMBS"?
I'M LEAN, MAN.
AERODYNAMIC!

YOU CAN JUDGE LIMBS
ONCE YOU GRADUATE FROM
YOUR MEGA-UNDIES!

IT'S
ARMOR!

SURE IT IS!
AND THESE THINGS
ON MY HEAD ARE
RUDDERS!

HA!

**MEGA
MAN!!**

SNAKE!

WHEN WORLDS COLLIDE

PART
7

EVENING the ODDS

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BLAM

IMPRESSED?

BY THAT LITTLE ROBO-SNAKE? TWO WORDS, KID: EGG VIPER.

JUST THE ONE? BECAUSE I'VE FOUGHT **DOZENS** OF SNAKEYS!

QUALITY OVER QUANTITY!

CAN WE SAVE ALL THE BRAGGING UNTIL **AFTER** WE'VE SAVED EVERYONE?

WHEN HAVE I **EVER** DONE IT IN THAT ORDER?

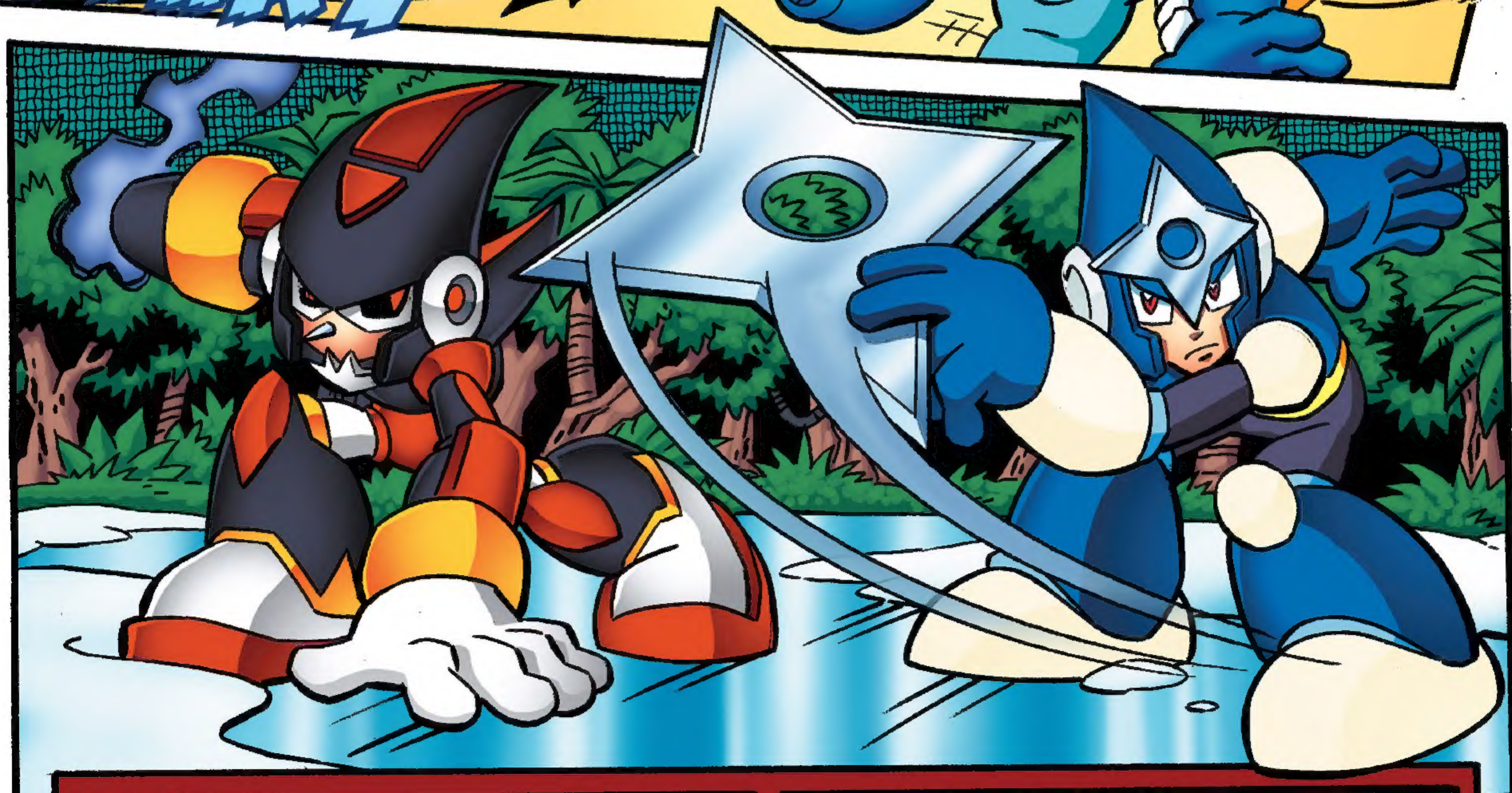
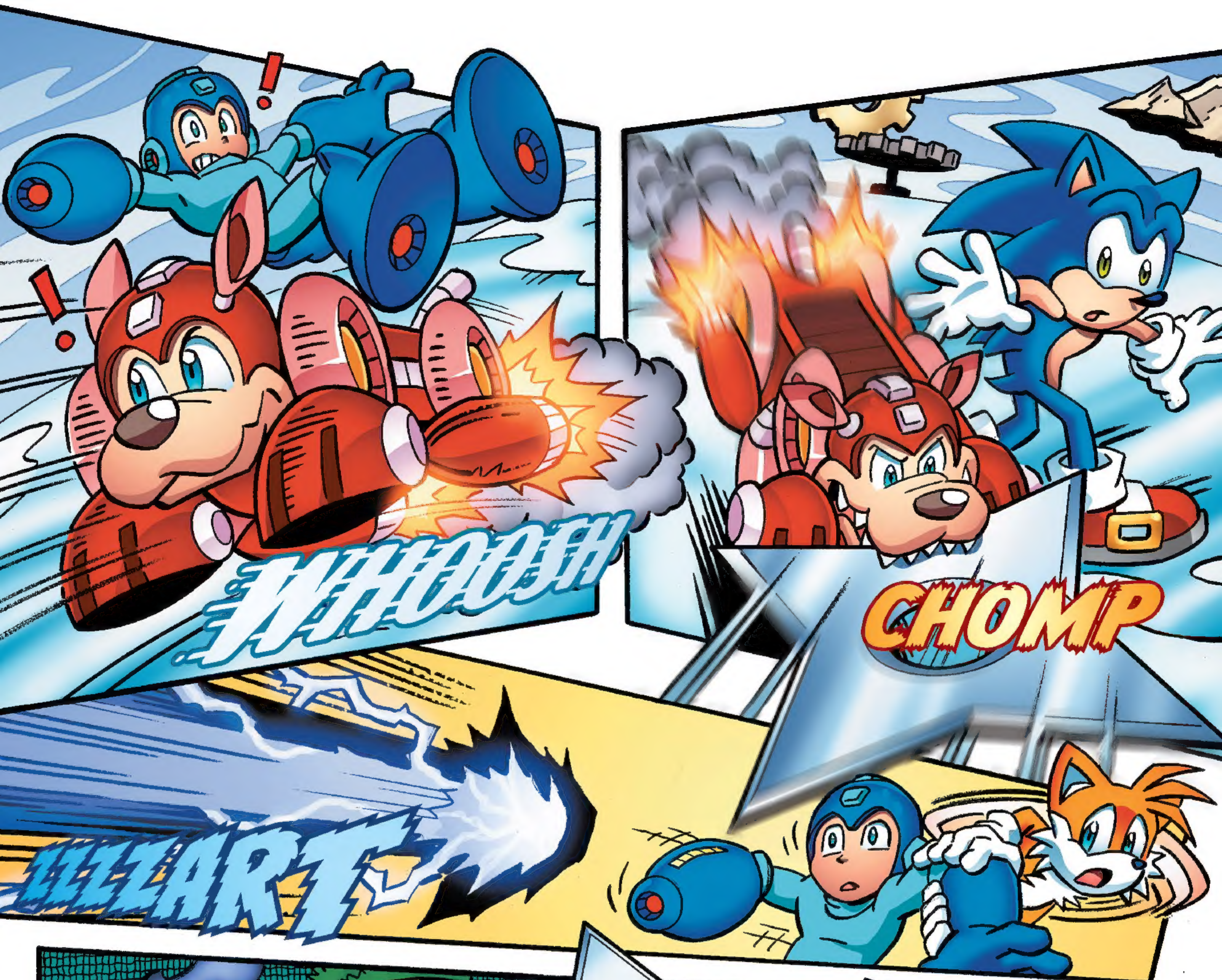
SERIOUSLY, THO'-- THANKS FOR ALL YOUR HELP, ROCK. I KNOW WE'RE HERE TO SAVE YOUR DAD AND TAKE DOWN THE DOCS, BUT SAVING MY FRIENDS ISN'T YOUR RESPONSIBILITY.

I DON'T PICK AND CHOOSE WHAT GOOD I DO, SONIC. YOUR FRIENDS ARE IN TROUBLE, I'M HAPPY TO HELP.

AND TAILS MADE IT EVEN EASIER NOW THAT HE'S MODIFIED MY MEGA BUSTER! YOU'RE A GENIUS!

I'M ALRIGHT. I CAN'T WAIT TO MEET DR. LIGHT AND COMPARE NOTES!

THAT'LL BE A GEEK-OUT TO END THEM ALL! BUT FIRST, WE'VE GOT TO TRACK DOWN THE LAST OF THE ROBOTICIZED MASTERS. SO... WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?



OKAY, I'VE GOT THE NAMING CONVENTION DOWN. YOU'RE--

SHADOW MAN!

SHADOW MAN
ROBOTICIZED
MASTER
EWN-003

YOU KEEP
SHADOW MAN
BUSY! I'LL
TAKE DOWN
THE OTHER
GUY!

Um...
RIGHT!

BLAM
BLAM

BLAM

I TOLD YOU
TO GO FOR THE
OTHER GUY!

THAT **IS** THE
OTHER GUY!
YOU SAID YOU
HAD SHADOW
MAN!

THAT **IS**
SHADOW
MAN!

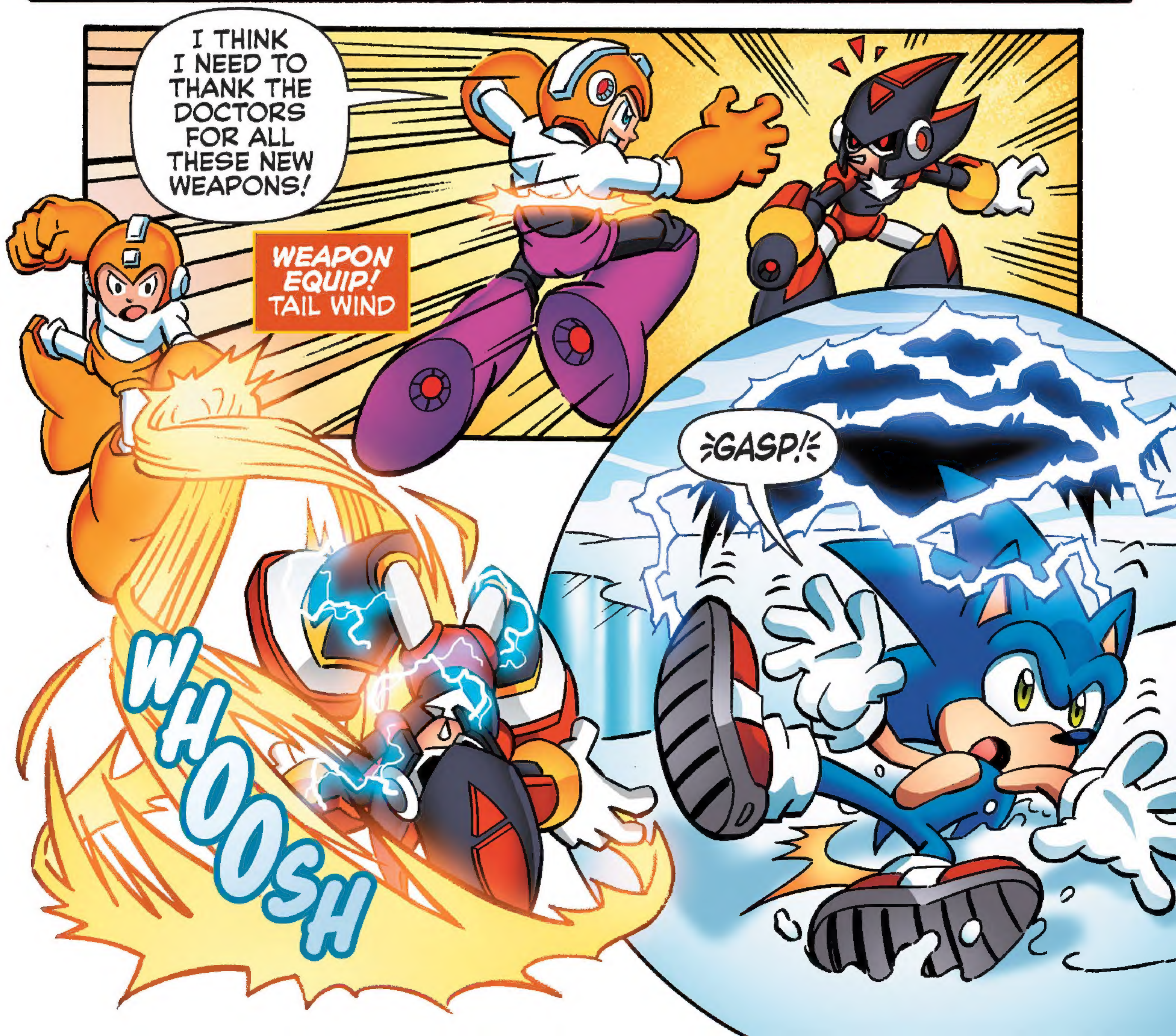
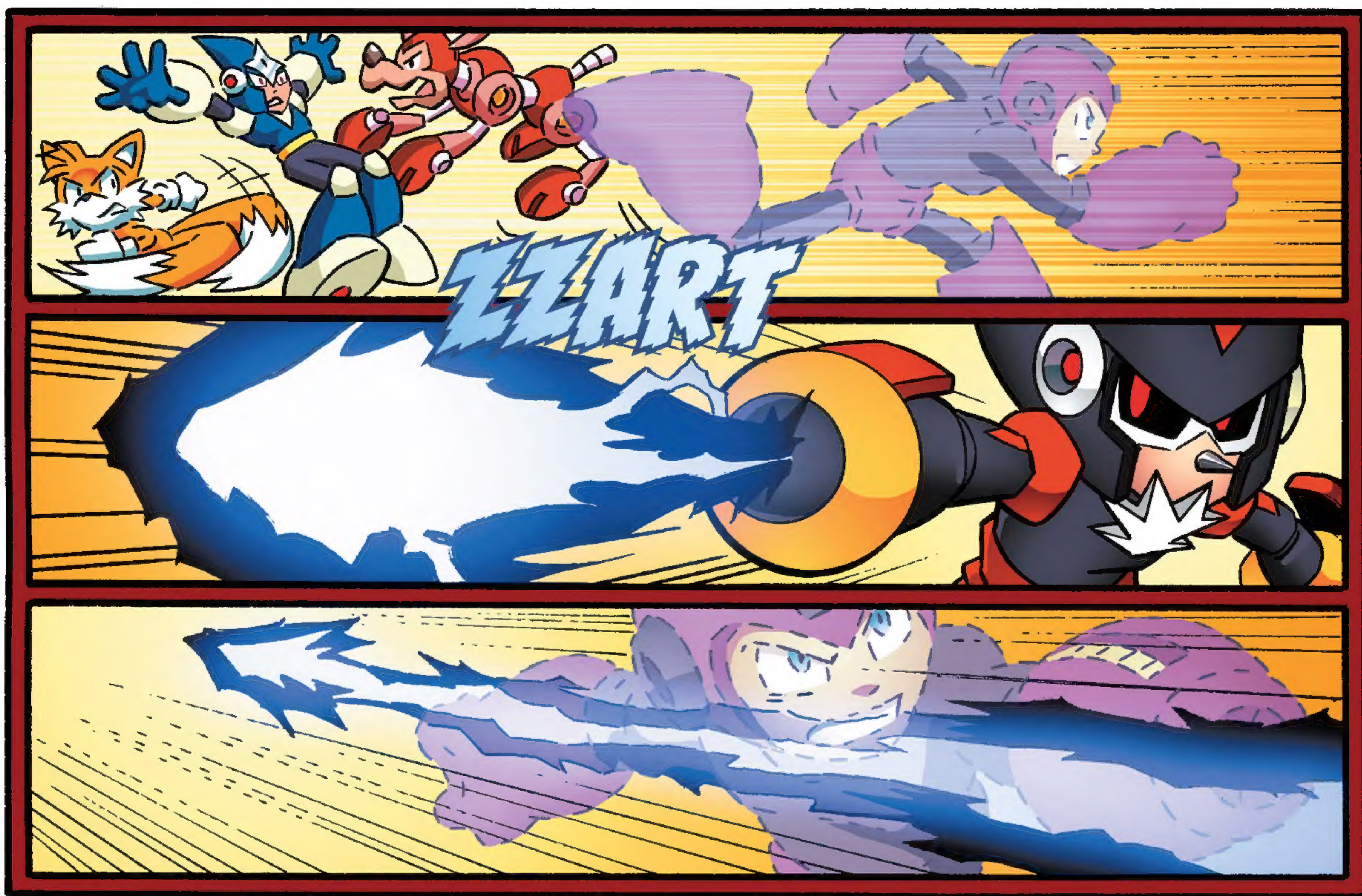
THEY'RE **BOTH**
CALLED SHADOW
MAN! PICK ONE
AND FIGHT HIM
ALREADY!

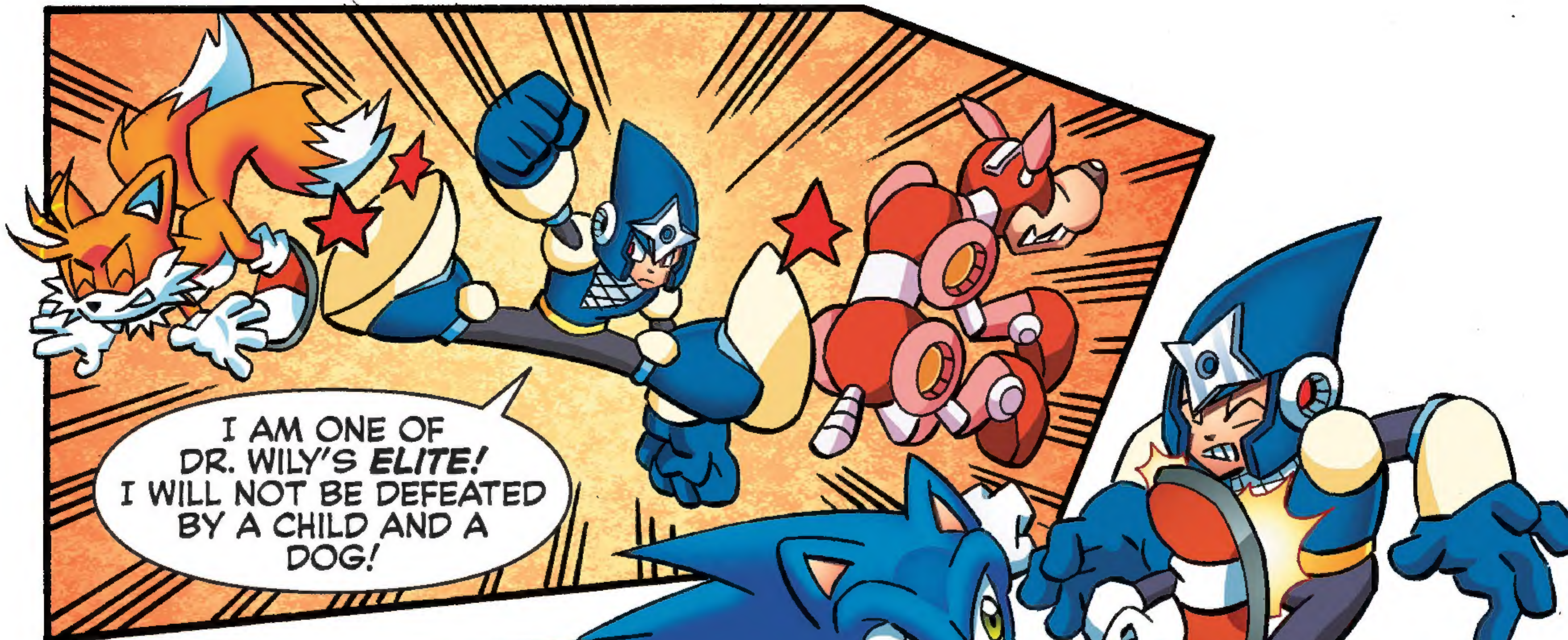
SHADOW MAN
DR.WILY NINJA-BOT
DWN-024

Oh.
SORRY.

YOU
PICK ONE!
Sheesh!







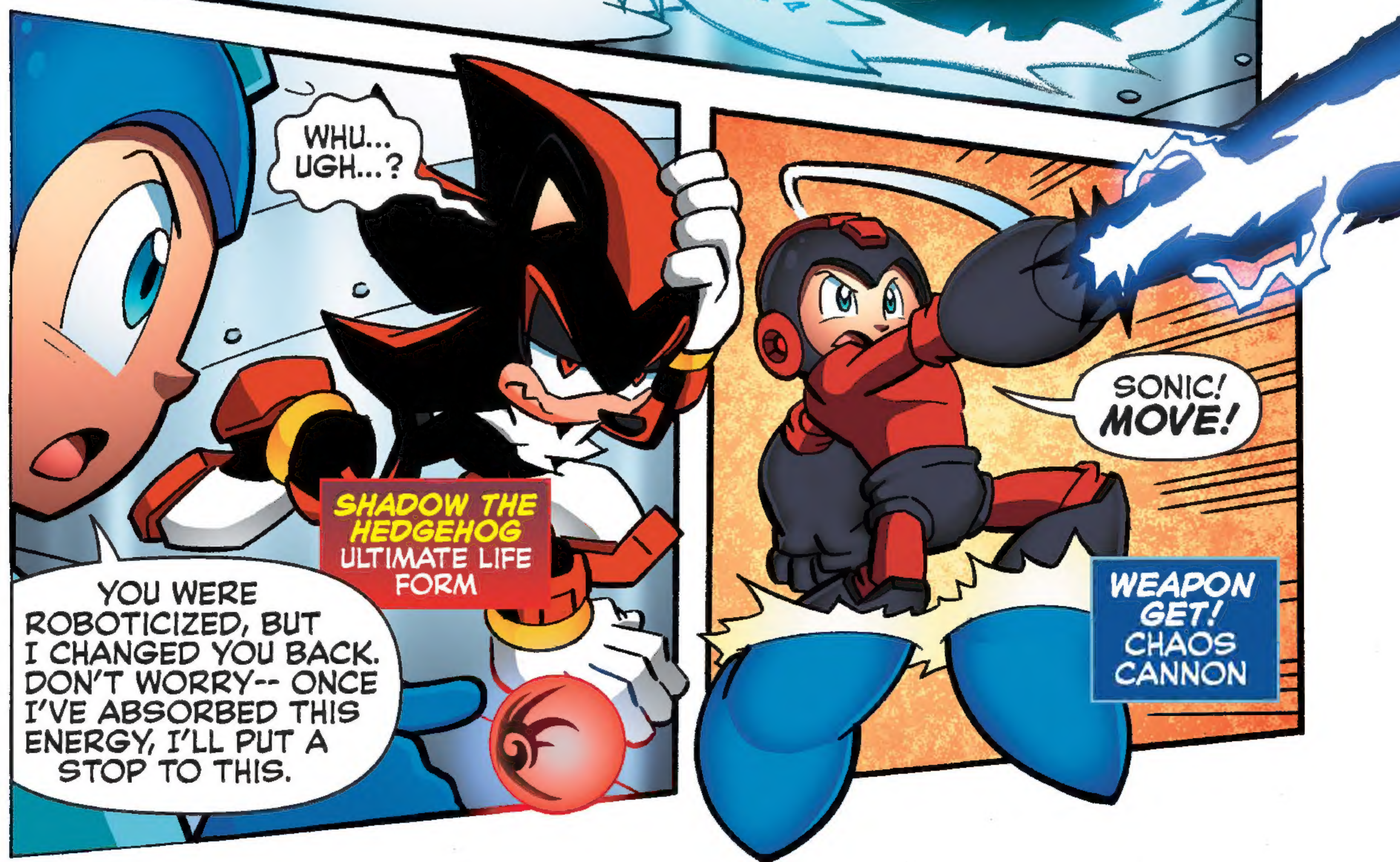
I AM ONE OF
DR. WILY'S **ELITE!**
I WILL NOT BE DEFEATED
BY A CHILD AND A
DOG!



AND THEY
SAY I HAVE
AN EGO!

ANYHOW

KZZET



WHU...
UGH...?

**SHADOW THE
HEDGEHOG
ULTIMATE LIFE
FORM**

YOU WERE
ROBOTICIZED, BUT
I CHANGED YOU BACK.
DON'T WORRY-- ONCE
I'VE ABSORBED THIS
ENERGY, I'LL PUT A
STOP TO THIS.

**SONIC!
MOVE!**

**WEAPON
GET!
CHAOS
CANNON**



AAAAND
WE'RE DONE
HERE!

CHAOS CANNON!

EASY THERE,
SHADOW MA--I GUESS
IT'S JUST "SHADOW"
NOW, RIGHT?

YES.
THE ULTIMATE LIFE
FORM. SUFFERING THE
ULTIMATE HUMILIATION.

VENGEANCE!

FWASH

HE...HE
WAS ALREADY
DOWN.

WOW.
HOW ABOUT
SOME ANGER
CONTROL?

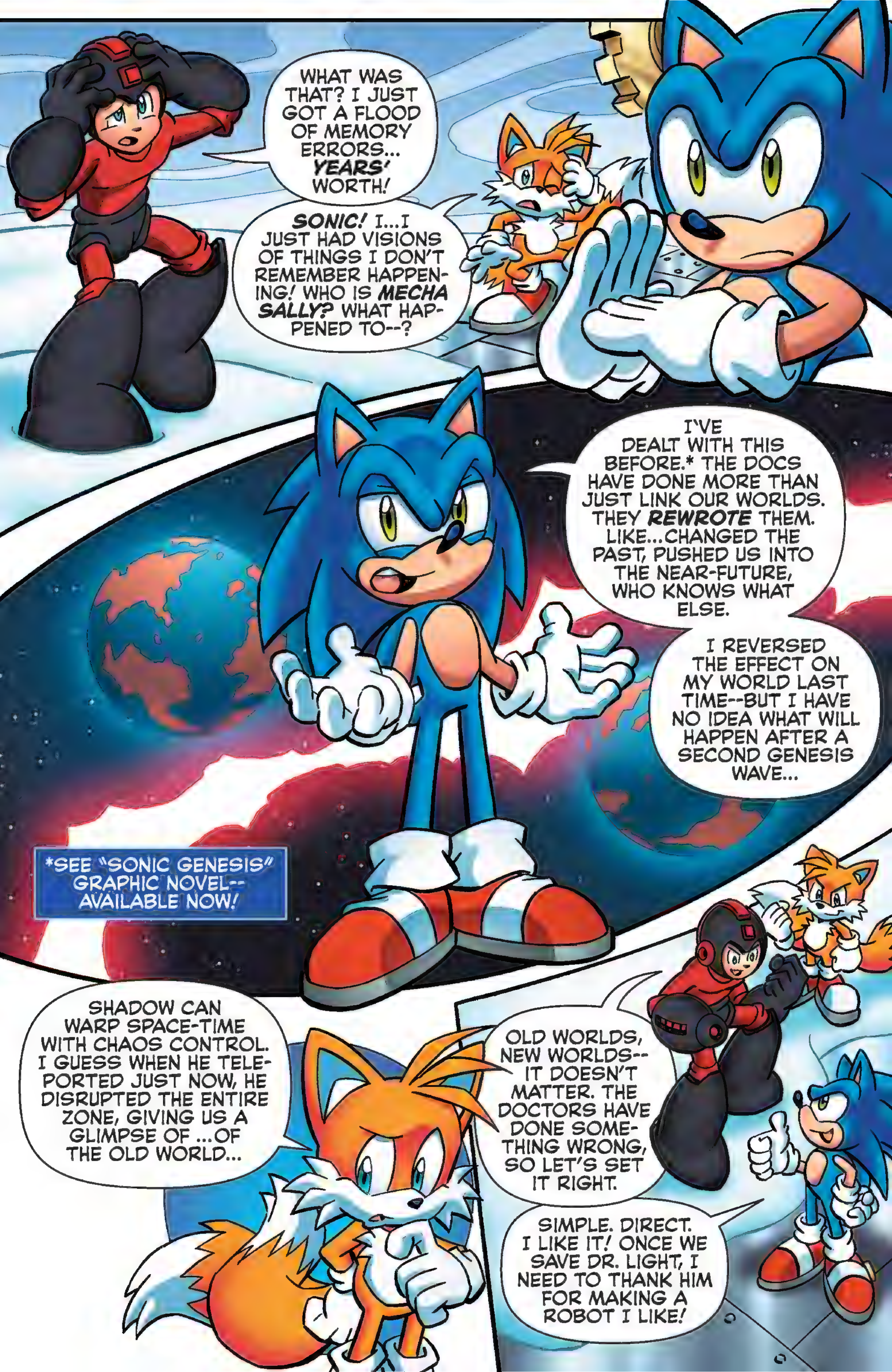
NOT NOW,
SONIC.

ALRIGHT,
ALRIGHT.

LOOK, THERE'S STILL
AT LEAST FOUR MORE
ROBOTICIZED MASTERS
OUT THERE, MORE OF
OUR FRIENDS TRANS-
FORMED INTO BAD GUYS
BY EGGMAN AND WILY.
AND THE CHAOTIX ARE
HELPING A GUY CALLED
"PROTO MAN" FIND A
WAY INTO THE DOCS'
BASE. DO YOU WANT
TO STICK WITH US,
OR HELP THEM?

NEITHER.

WHAT
THE--?



WHAT WAS THAT? I JUST GOT A FLOOD OF MEMORY ERRORS... YEARS' WORTH!

SONIC! I...I JUST HAD VISIONS OF THINGS I DON'T REMEMBER HAPPENING! WHO IS **MECHA SALLY**? WHAT HAPPENED TO--?

I'VE DEALT WITH THIS BEFORE.* THE DOCS HAVE DONE MORE THAN JUST LINK OUR WORLDS. THEY **REWROTE** THEM. LIKE...CHANGED THE PAST, PUSHED US INTO THE NEAR-FUTURE, WHO KNOWS WHAT ELSE.

I REVERSED THE EFFECT ON MY WORLD LAST TIME--BUT I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT WILL HAPPEN AFTER A SECOND GENESIS WAVE...

*SEE "SONIC GENESIS" GRAPHIC NOVEL--AVAILABLE NOW!

SHADOW CAN WARP SPACE-TIME WITH CHAOS CONTROL. I GUESS WHEN HE TELEPORTED JUST NOW, HE DISRUPTED THE ENTIRE ZONE, GIVING US A GLIMPSE OF ...OF THE OLD WORLD...

OLD WORLDS, NEW WORLDS--IT DOESN'T MATTER. THE DOCTORS HAVE DONE SOMETHING WRONG, SO LET'S SET IT RIGHT.

SIMPLE. DIRECT. I LIKE IT! ONCE WE SAVE DR. LIGHT, I NEED TO THANK HIM FOR MAKING A ROBOT I LIKE!

"NOW, IF YOU ONLY MADE CHILI-DOGS!"

MEANWHILE--
ABOARD THE
WILY EGG

DR. EGGMAN--
EVIL GENIUS,
NEMESIS OF
SONIC

THIS IS THE
FELLOW THAT'S
GIVEN YOU SO
MUCH TROUBLE,
AL? SANTA IN A
LAB COAT?

Oh,
HE'S QUITE
BRILLIANT. BUT
NOT SMART
ENOUGH TO
AVOID GETTING
CAPTURED!

DR. WILY--
EVIL GENIUS,
NEMESIS OF
MEGA MAN

DR. LIGHT

HAHAHAHAHA!!

NEVER MIND THE INFERIOR
INTELLECT, WHAT ABOUT HIS
GROOMING? THE *MUSTACHE*
IS OBVIOUSLY THE FACIAL
HAIR OF CHOICE FOR THE
TRUE GENIUS.

INDISPUTABLY!
WHAT SHORT-SIGHTED
HACK GROWS A
BEARD?

PARDON
ME, O'
HAIRY-LIPPED
BOSSSES.

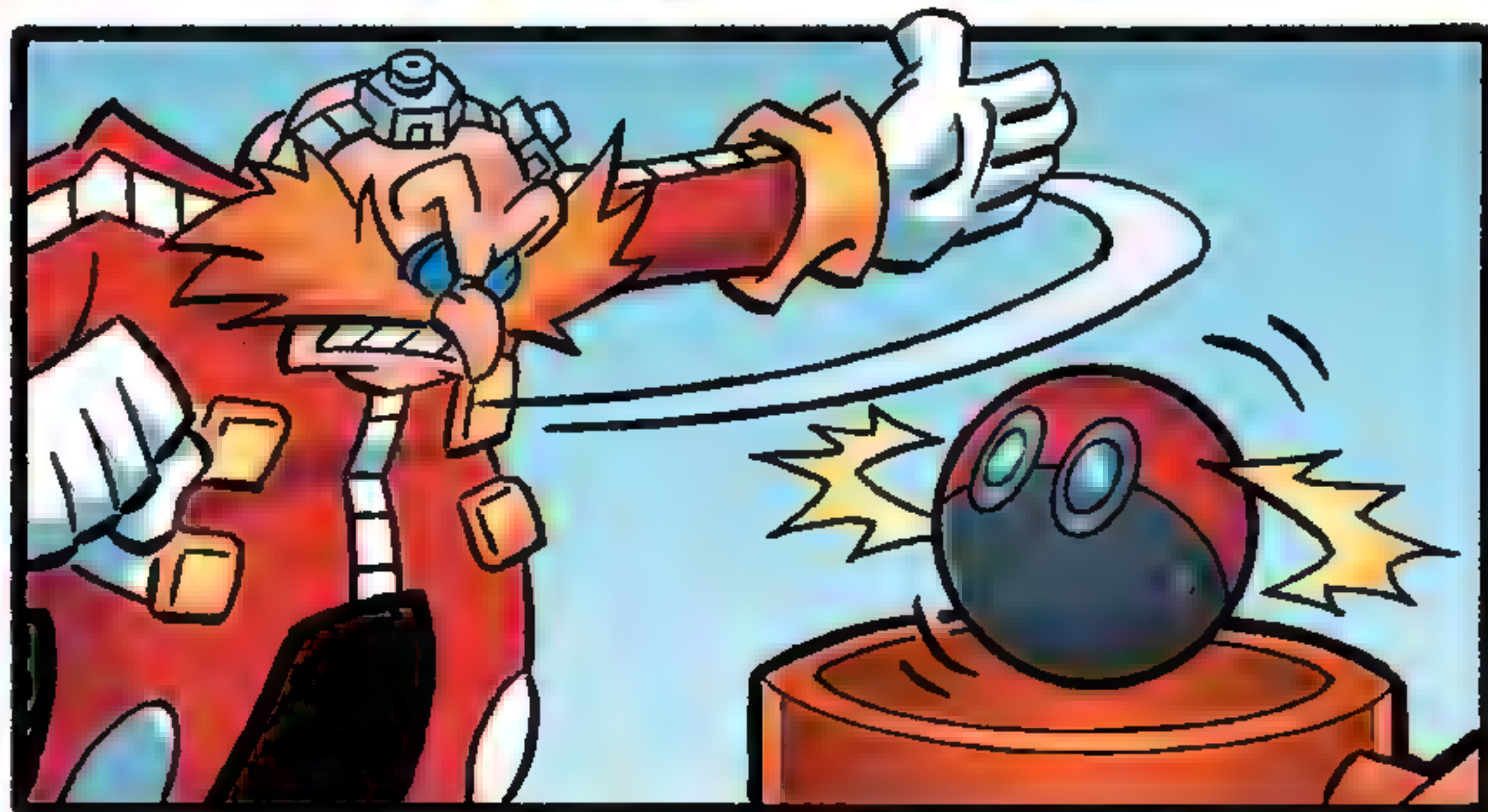
CAN'T YOU
SEE WE'RE BUSY
GLOATING?!

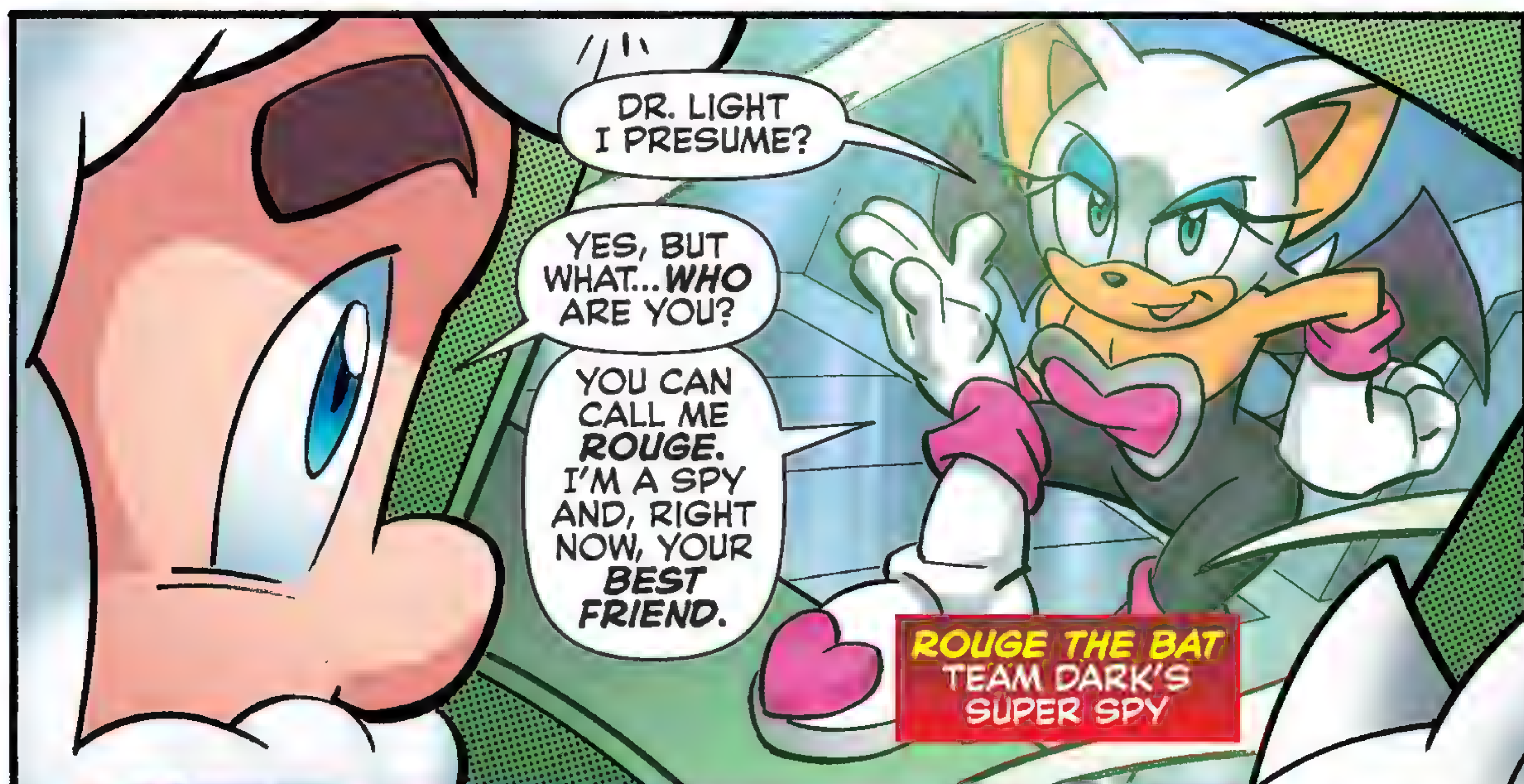
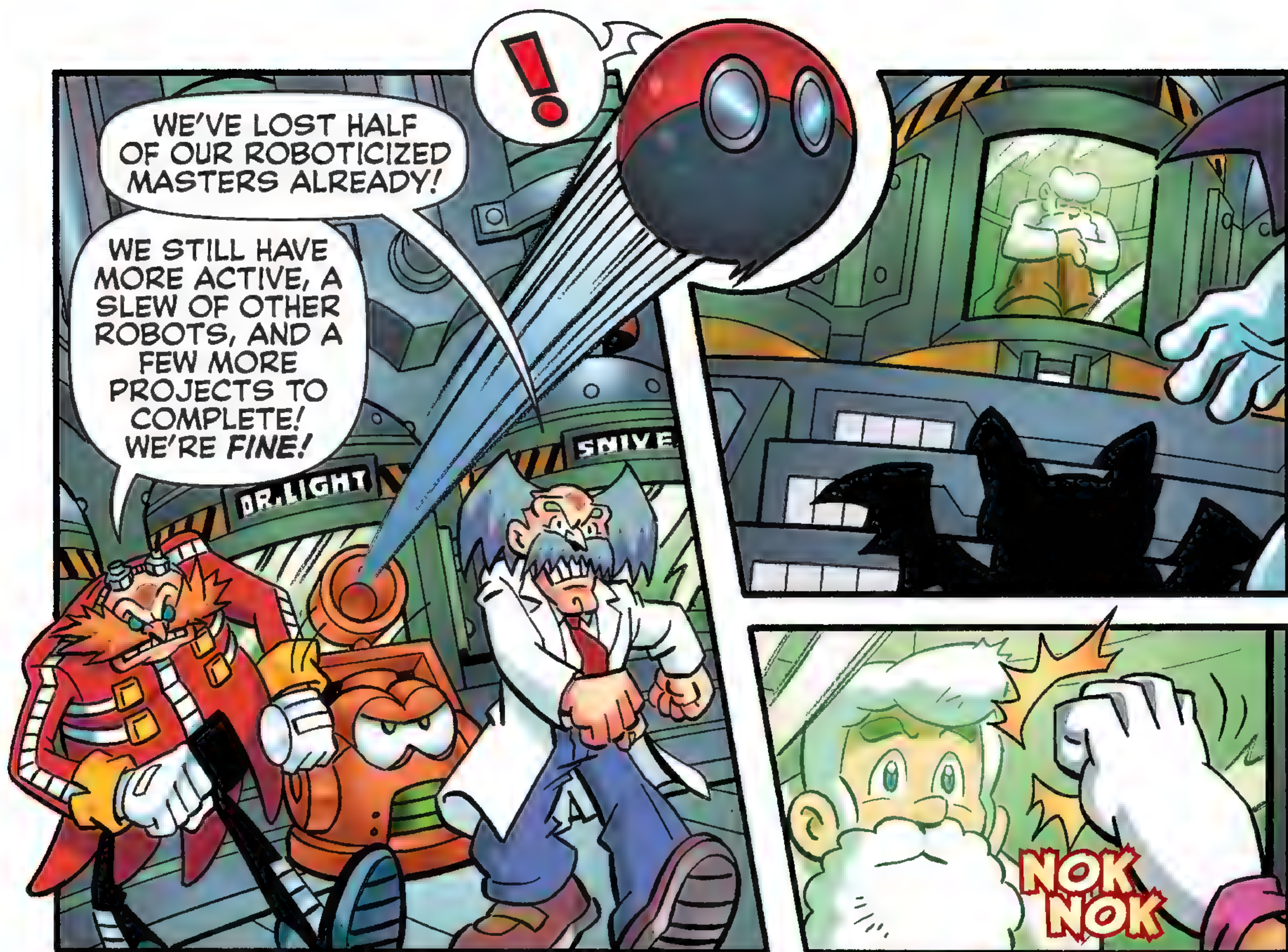
CERTAINLY, SIR.
BUT I THOUGHT YOU SHOULD
KNOW THAT WE'VE LOST SHADOW MAN,
AND THERE WAS A SMALL POCKET OF
DESTABILIZATION IN THE ZONE.

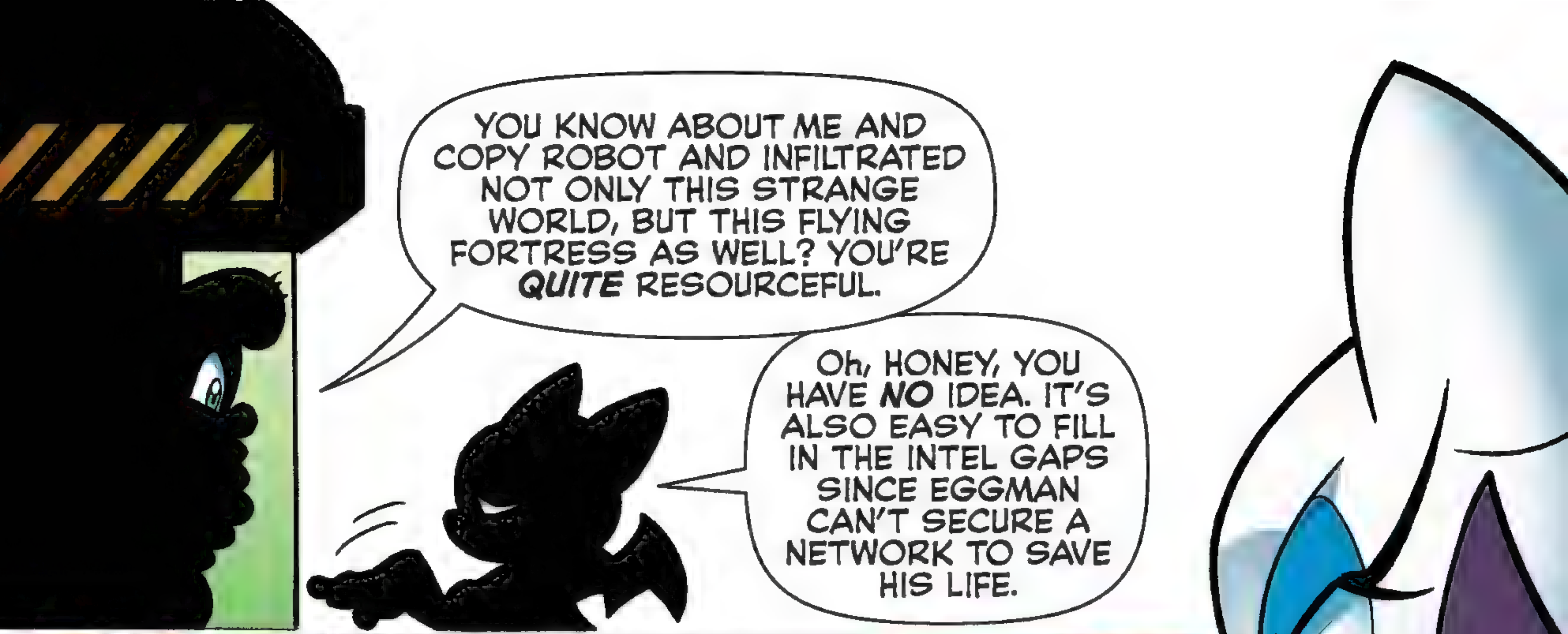
ORBOT--
ROBOTIC
LACKEY

WAIT...MY SHADOW MAN,
OR YOUR SHADOW
MAN?

YES.







YOU KNOW ABOUT ME AND COPY ROBOT AND INFILTRATED NOT ONLY THIS STRANGE WORLD, BUT THIS FLYING FORTRESS AS WELL? YOU'RE **QUITE** RESOURCEFUL.

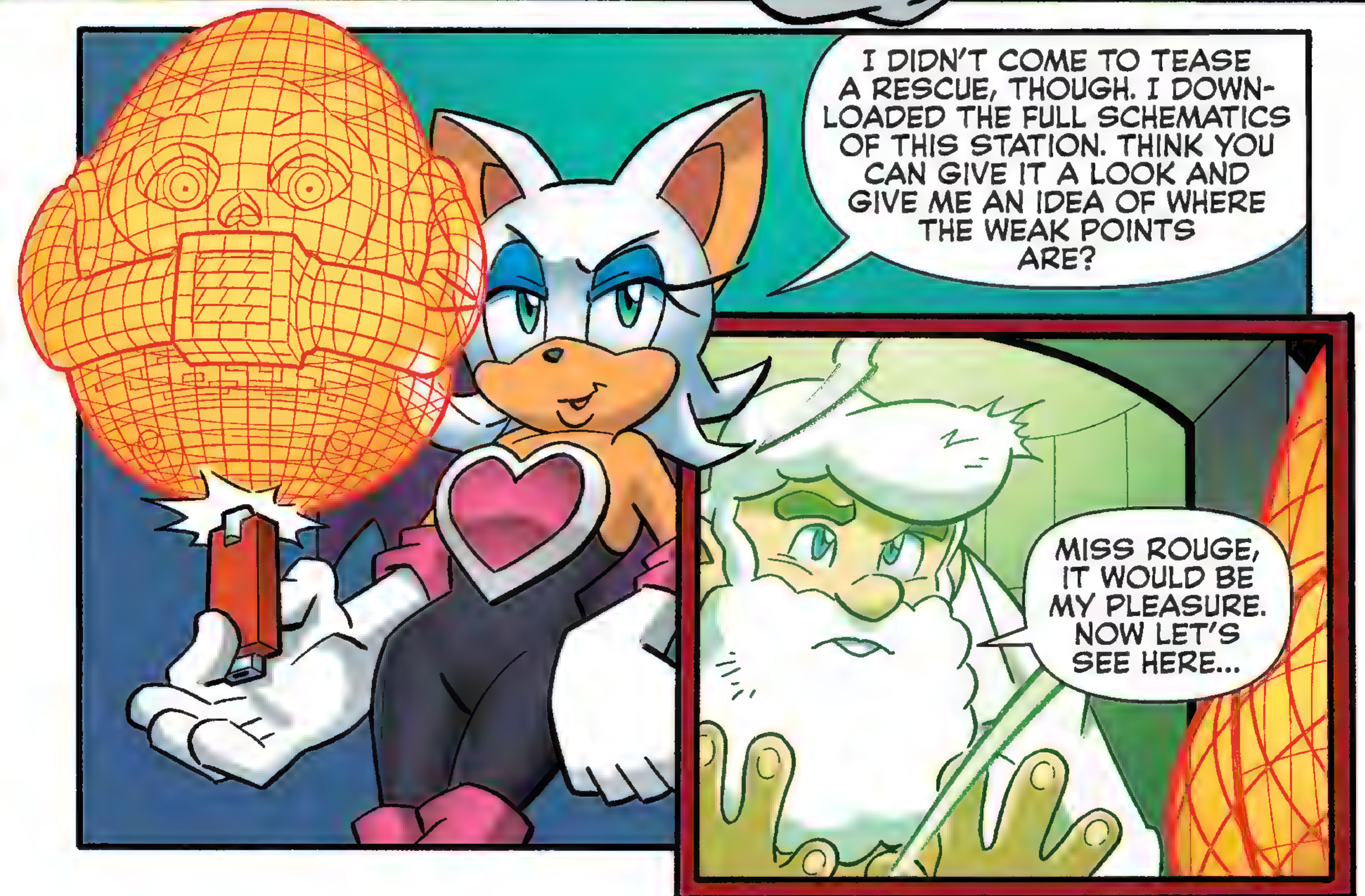
Oh, HONEY, YOU HAVE NO IDEA. IT'S ALSO EASY TO FILL IN THE INTEL GAPS SINCE EGGMAN CAN'T SECURE A NETWORK TO SAVE HIS LIFE.



ARE YOU HERE TO RESCUE ME?

YES AND NO. I'M HERE TO RESCUE MY TEAMMATE AND UNDERMINE THE DOCTORS' PLANS WHILE I'M AT IT. FOR NOW, YOU'RE SAFER IN HERE AND OUT OF THE WAY. NO OFFENSE.

NONE TAKEN.



I DIDN'T COME TO TEASE A RESCUE, THOUGH. I DOWN-LOADED THE FULL SCHEMATICS OF THIS STATION. THINK YOU CAN GIVE IT A LOOK AND GIVE ME AN IDEA OF WHERE THE WEAK POINTS ARE?

MISS ROUGE, IT WOULD BE MY PLEASURE. NOW LET'S SEE HERE...

MEANWHILE...

THEY DISAPPEAR
AND REAPPEAR IN
A PATTERN! YOU'VE
JUST GOT TO TIME
YOUR JUMPS
RIGHT!

LOOK, YOU
DON'T NEED TO
PROVE ANYTHING!
JUST LET ME FLY
YOU UP THERE
ALREADY!

NO!
I AM NOT
GETTING
BEAT BY A
BUNCH OF
STUPID,
ANNOYING
BLOCKS!

BWOOP

BWOOP

BWOOP

BWOOP

WOOOSH

AUGH!

AHH!

YIPE!

HEADS UP,
GUYS...

"...HERE
COMES
TROUBLE."

SILVER MAN
EWN-004

BLAZE WOMAN
EWN-005

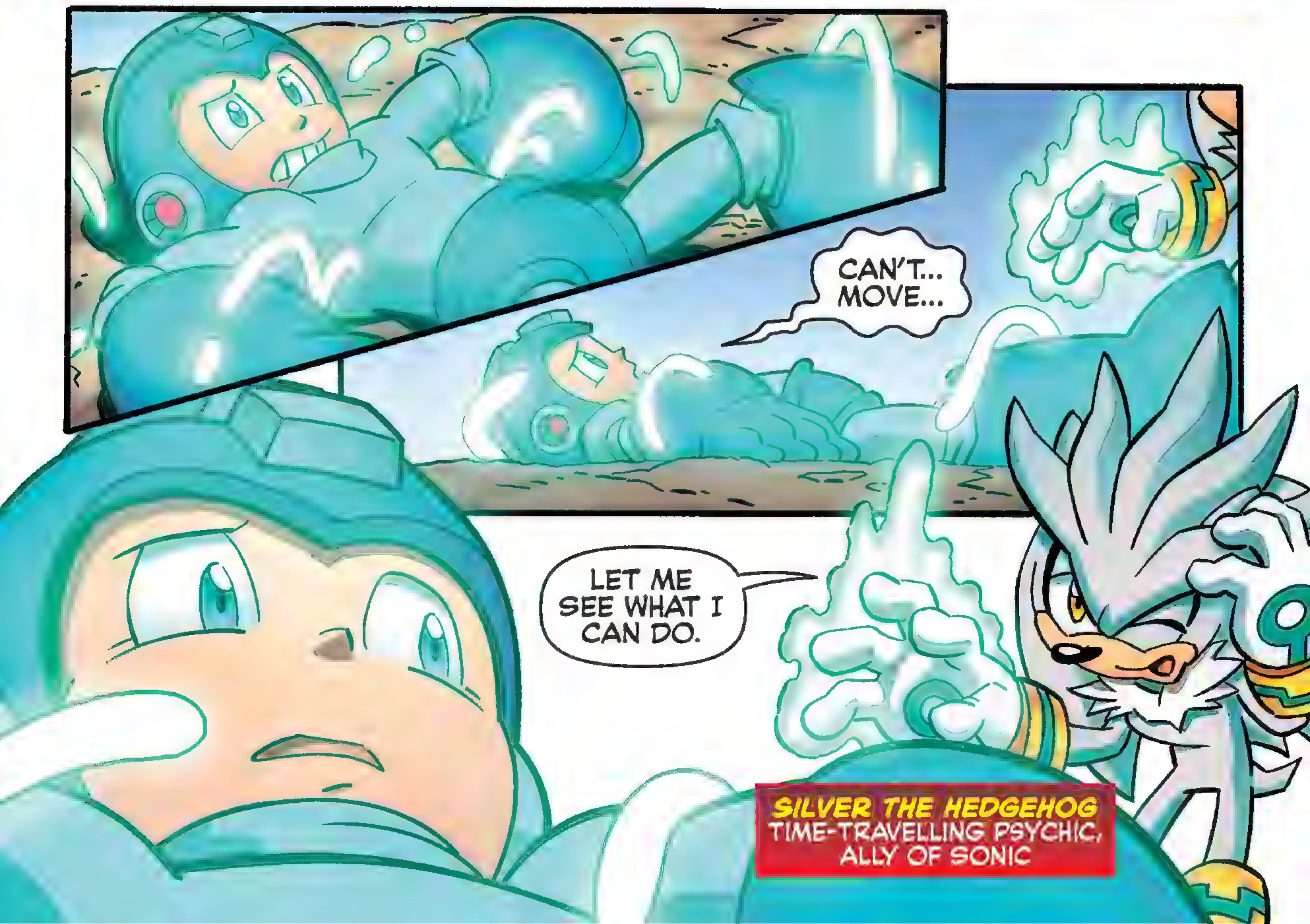
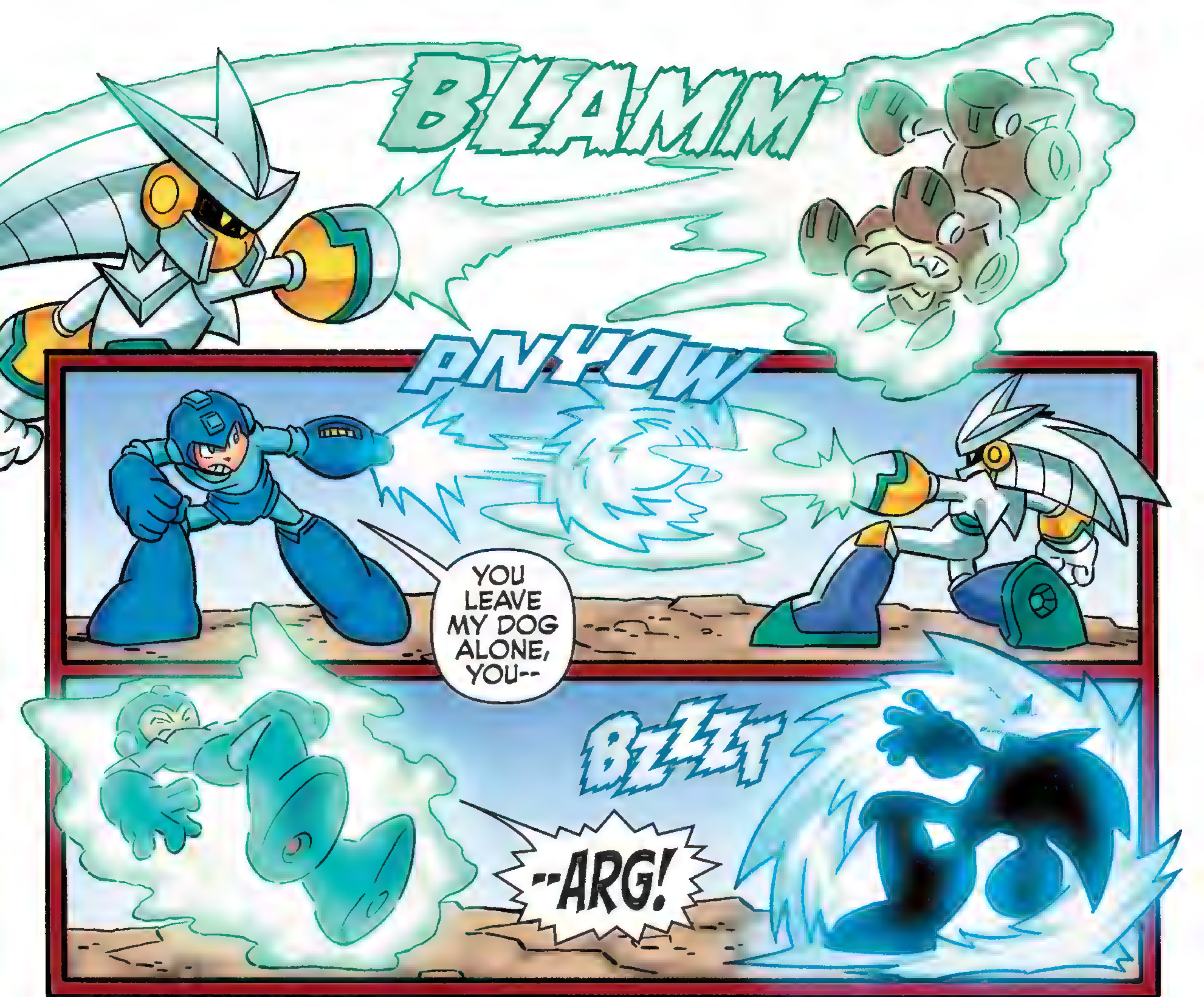
VWOOSH

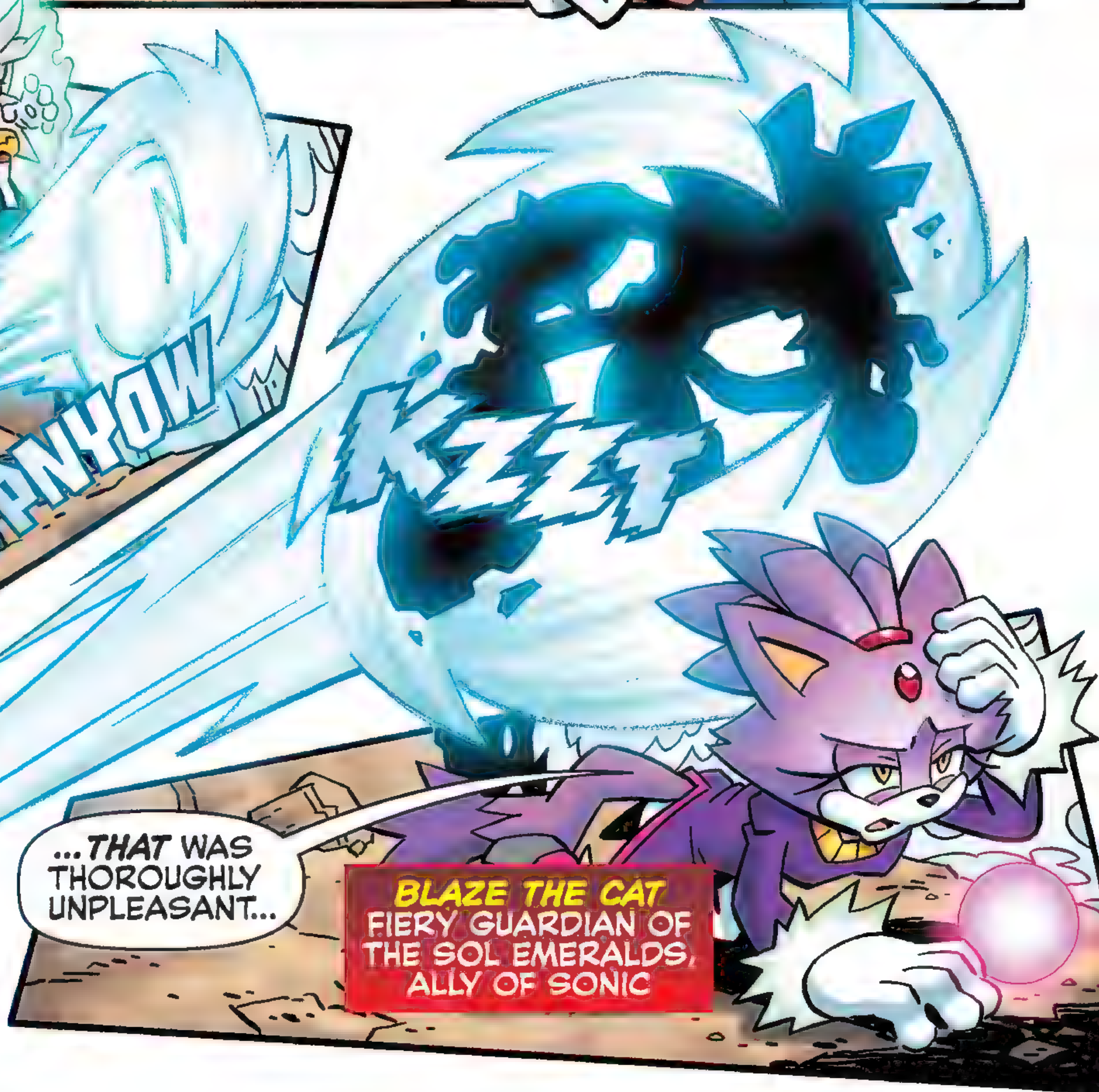
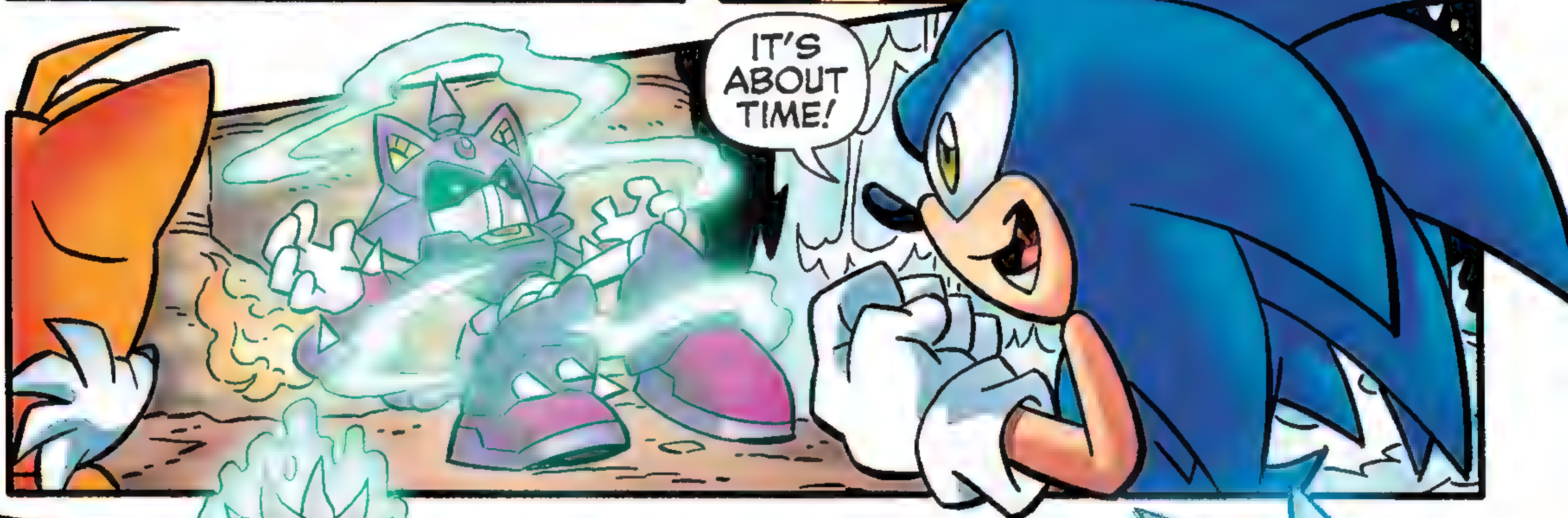
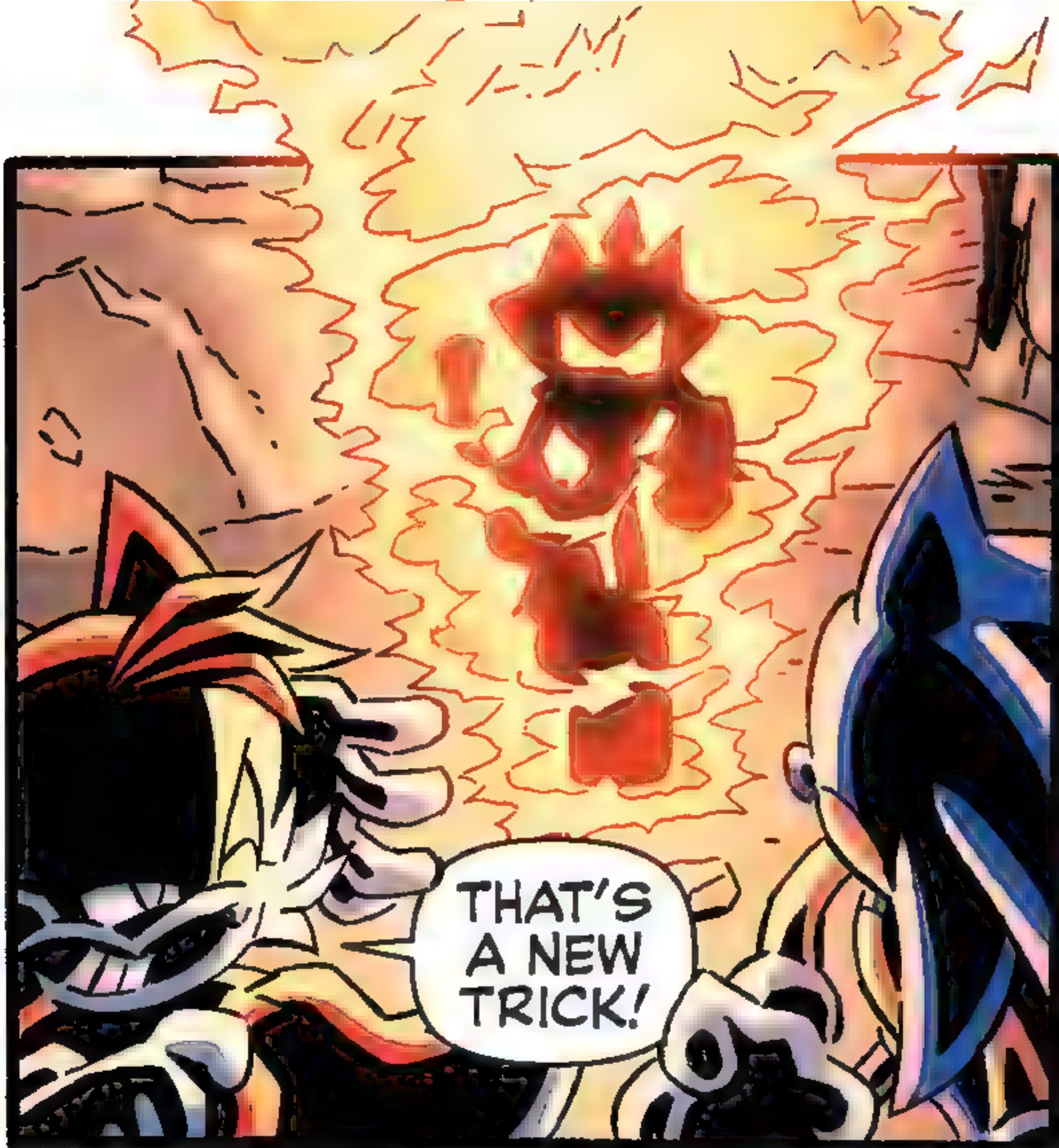
YO,
MEGS!
GO FOR
SILVER!
TAILS AND
I WILL
HANDLE
BLAZE!

AT
LEAST
THERE'S
NO CON-
FUSION
OVER WHICH
ROBOT IS
"BLAZE!"

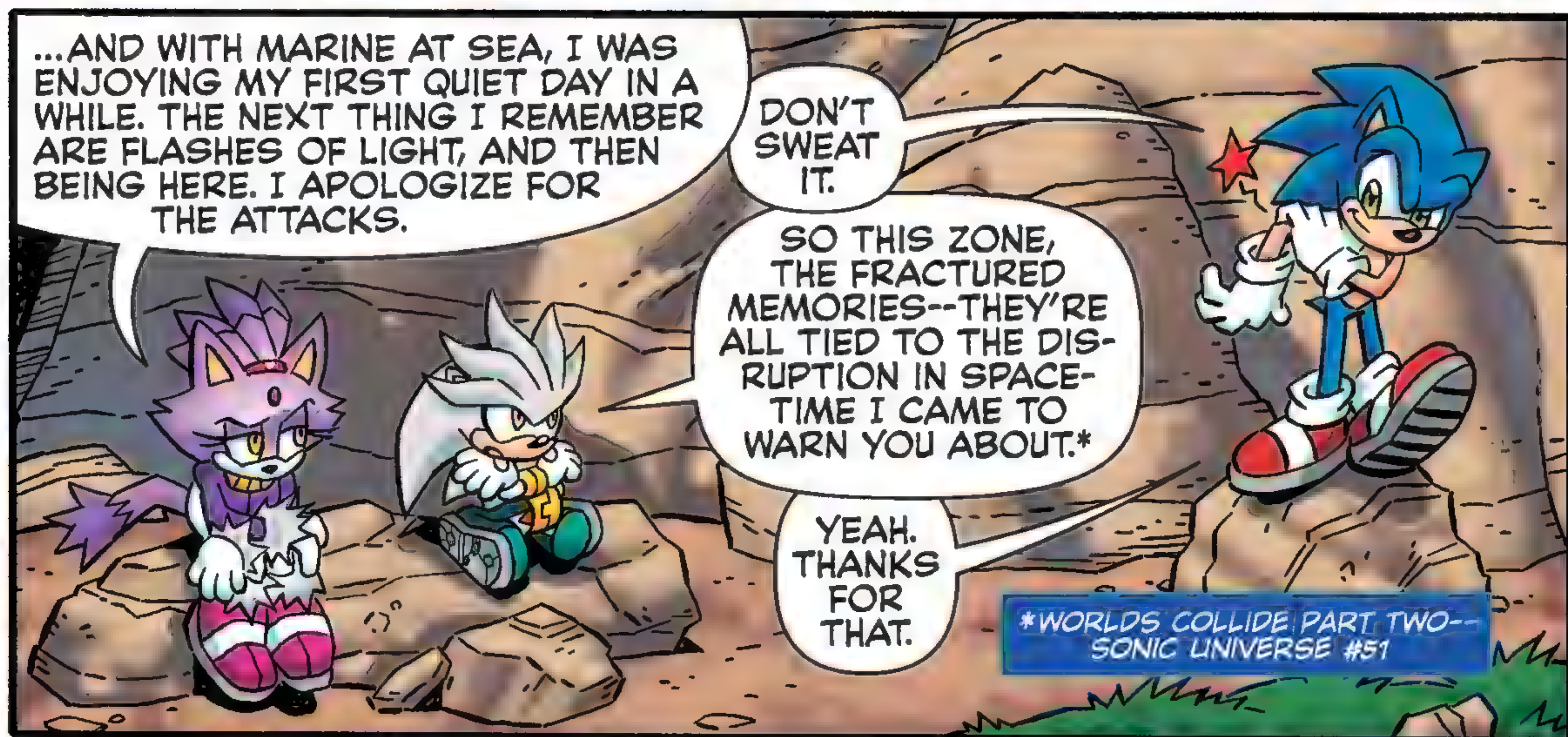
NO TIME FOR
ANYTHING FANCY!
RUSH! SIC THE
SILVERY GUY!

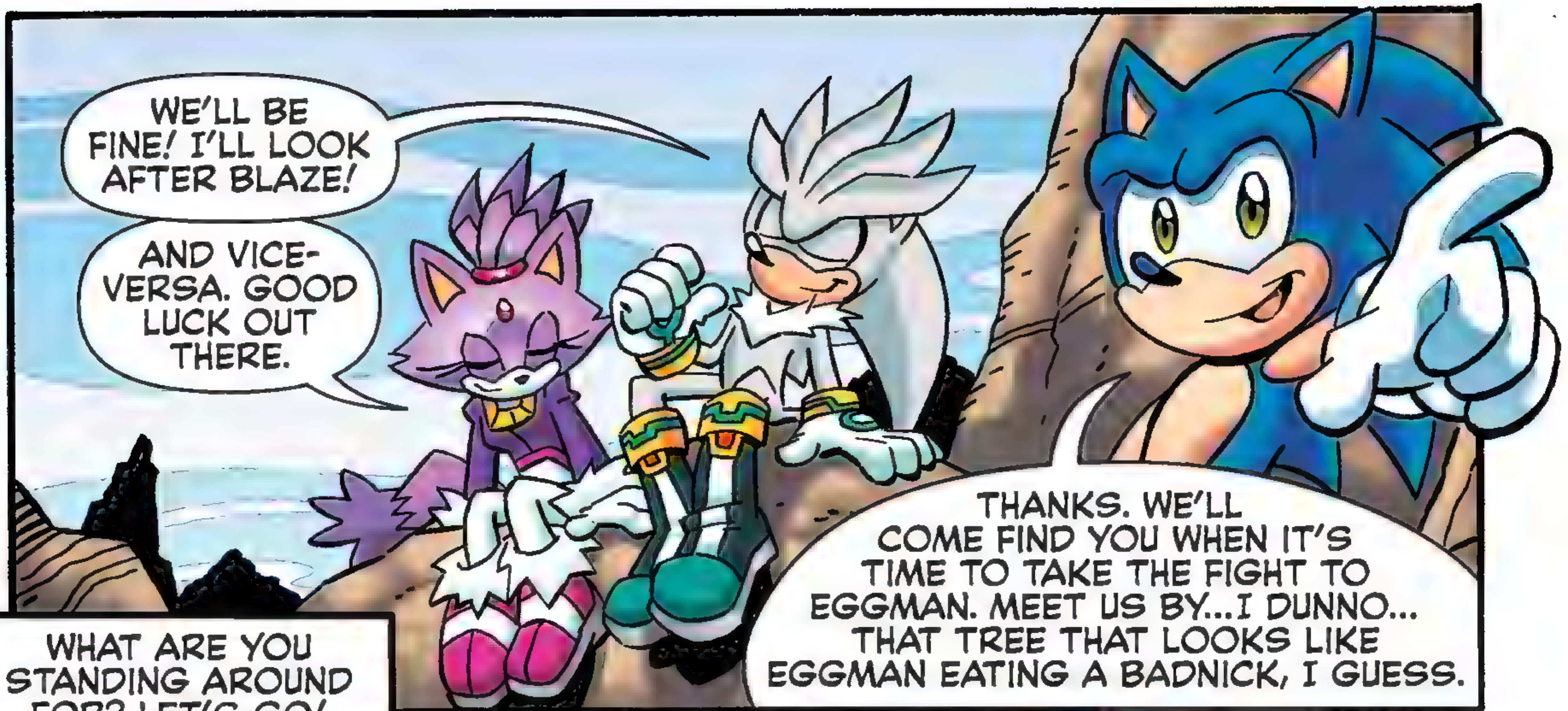
GRRR!
WAAAA

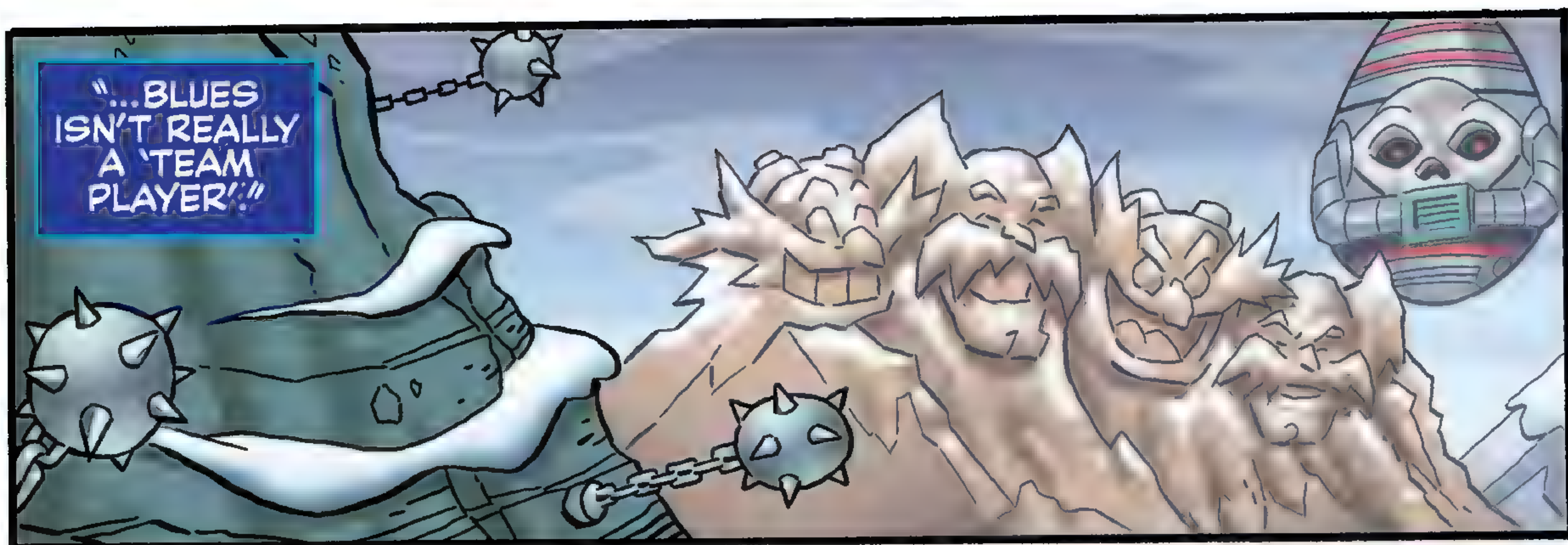




BLAZE THE CAT
FIERY GUARDIAN OF
THE SOL EMERALDS,
ALLY OF SONIC







"...BLUES
ISN'T REALLY
A 'TEAM
PLAYER'!"



ECHO!

ECHO!
ECHO!

CUT THAT OUT!
DO YA WANT
TO CAUSE AN
AVALANCHE?!

CHARMY
CHAOTIX
FLYER

VECTOR
CHAOTIX
MUSCLE

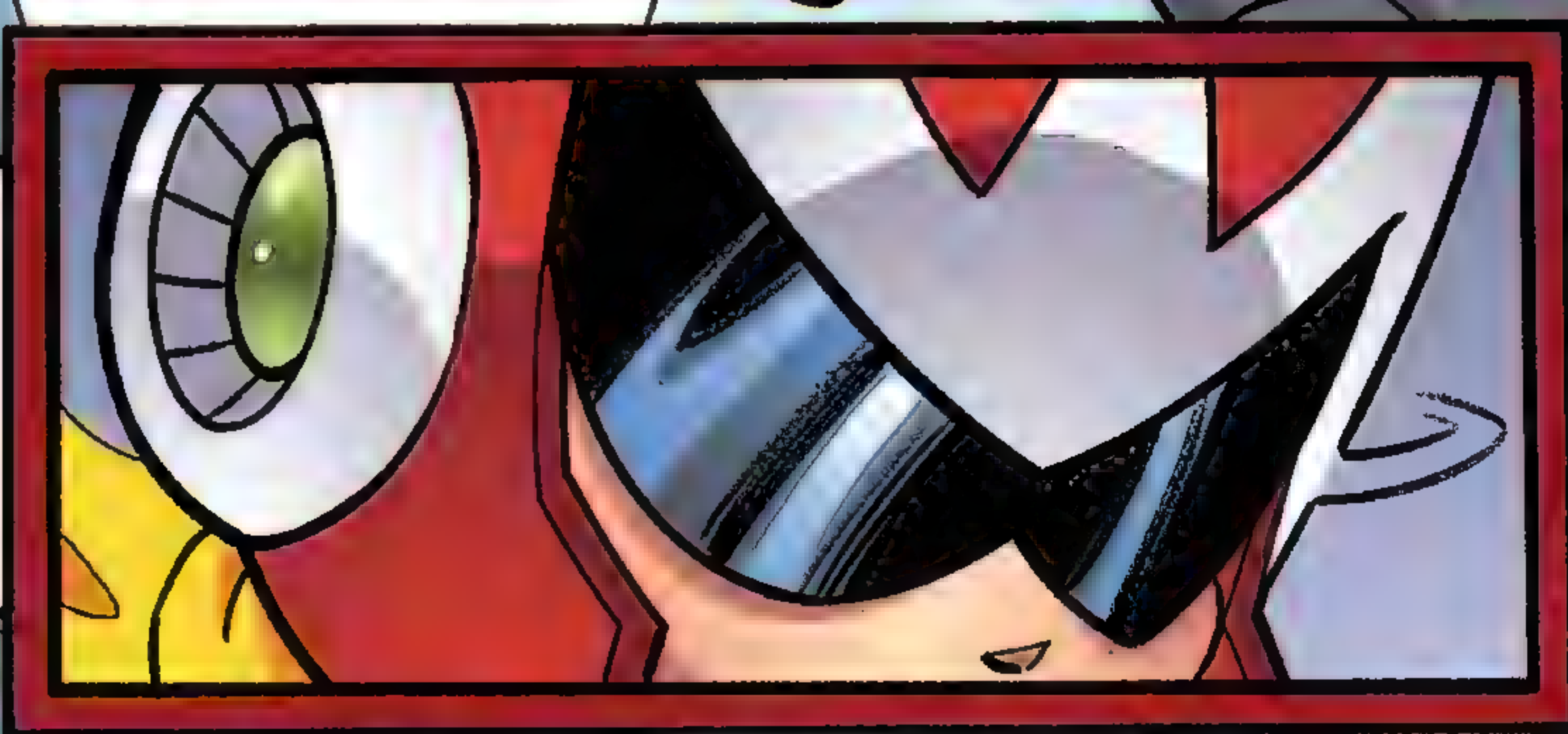
ESPIO
CHAOTIX
NINJA

PROTO MAN
HEROIC BROTHER
OF MEGA MAN



YOU'RE REALLY
DETECTIVES?

WE FOUND
YOU, DIDN'T WE?
AND NONE OF US
EVEN KNEW WHAT
A "POGO MAN"
WAS BEFORE THIS.



SIGH
LET'S PRESS
FORWARD.

I THINK
THAT WOULD
BE WISE.


SAY--THAT
IS A PRETTY
COOL SCARE.

I OUGHTA GET ME ONE
OF THOSE. WANT TO
TRADE IT FOR MY CHAIN?
...HELLO?...POGO MAN?



TARGETS
LOCATED.
MOVING TO
INTERCEPT.

CANCEL THAT!
YOU'RE NEEDED
ELSEWHERE!



YOU'RE THE LAST
REMAINING ROBOTI-
CIZED MASTERS! FIND
SONIC AND MEGA MAN!
DESTROY THEM NO
MATTER WHAT!

UNDERSTOOD.
SEEKING NEW
TARGETS.

SELF-
DESTRUCT
OPTION
AUTHORIZED.

OUR HEROES HAVE COME SO CLOSE TO RESCUING ALL OF SONIC'S FRIENDS! CAN THEY FINISH THE JOB? OR WILL IT END IN TRAGEDY? ANYTHING GOES IN THE RULES-FREE

SKULL EGG ZONE!

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FOR THE CONCLUSION TO ACT 2!
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Dear Mega-Mail,
I'm a fan of Sonic the Hedgehog and I'm a huge fan of Mega Man.

I bet you really like Air Man too, right?! He's one of my biggest fans! Get it?!

I got the first part of "Worlds Collide" from subscribing and my mind was blown that Mega Man was fighting Sonic in an official crossover made by an official company.

I'm officially pleased that your mind was blown!

I'VE BEEN DREAMING FOR THIS.

**DREAMS COME TRUE!
SWEET SWEET!**

I say it because there's a few, but not many Mega Man and Sonic crossovers on YouTube. I was going to do one too, but you gave me a break on "Worlds Collide". :) thx.

Fans have been clamoring for this story for a while indeed! Bringing it alive onto the comic page is a special treat for everyone involved, and I'd like to send a big shout-out to writer Ian Flynn for developing a KILLER story for this epic crossover event!

I'm an artist myself and can make really good Mega Man X drawings, but the original Mega Man is hard to draw because of that heart shaped helmet he wears. Any small tips?

CIRCLES! Lots and lots of circles! They are the basic foundation of many Mega Man-like attributes! For example, Rock's helmet has about five main circles that make up his helmet, and even more if you want to get super detailed. The go-to reference for Mega Man can be seen in volume 1, "Let the Games Begin" drawn by comic book legend Patrick "Spaz" Spaziante!

OK heres a question and I ask the Sonic side this. (if you can fit it)

Welcome to the Sonic side of the office! WHOOSH! SUPER SPEEDY!!!

The way you portrayed Quick Man in the third Mega Man graphic novel, "The Return of Dr. Wily", his top speed is unknown: Who would win in a fight of speed, strength, and skill; Sonic or Quick Man?

That is a brilliant question! Perhaps if you stick with "Worlds Collide" you'll get to

see for yourself! Mwa-hahaha (No, seriously, this might actually happen - keep an eye out!)

Well I'm out of things to say, but keep up the good work, and even though I like Sonic, I'm rooting for Mega Man on this one!

ROCK MEGA MAN TEAM.
KC L.

Sent to MegaMan@ArchieComics.com

Thanks for the letter, KC! Sounds to me like you're a big supporter of the Light Brigade! Be sure to cut out your official Light Brigade badge on the previous page and spread the news about the Sonic and Mega Man crossover like peanut butter!

See ya back here next time for part ten of "Worlds Collide" in Mega Man™ 27! Don't forget to pick up part eight in Sonic Universe 53, and part nine in Sonic the Hedgehog 250!



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